

HE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:)
Theresa Miale, et al.) Group Art Unit: 3644
Serial No.: 10/635,670) Examiner: E. A. Shaw
Filed: August 5, 2003) Customer No.: 36183
For: ANIMAL LIFT AND TRANSPORT APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR USING THE SAME))))))

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME <u>&</u>

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2004, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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